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SUBJECT: JAPAN/SOVIET PRIVATE NUCLEAR ENERGY AGREEMENT

1. ACCORDING TO VERNACULAR PRESS REPORTS CONFIRMED AS
AUTHENTIC BY JAIF, SOVIET STATE COMMISSION ON UTILIZATION
OF NUCLEAR ENERGY AND JAPAN ATOMIC INDUSTRIAL FORUM ARE
READY TO SIGN PRIVATE-LEVEL AGREEMENT ON COOPERATION IN
PEACEFUL USES OF NUCLEAR ENERGY ON NOV. 15--ON OCCASION
OF VISIT TO JAPAN BY SIX-MEMBER SOVIET DELEGATION LED BY
PETROSIYANTS, CHAIRMAN OF THE SOVIET STATE COMMISSION ON
ATOMIC ENERGY.

2. AGREEMENT CALLS FOR INITIATION OF COOPERATION IN TWO
FIELDS, POWER REACTORS AND CONTROLLED THERMO-NUCLEAR
FUSION THROUGH EXCHANGE OF EXPERTS AND INFORMATION ON
RESULTS OF R&D.

3. FOLLOWING ARE THE CONTENTS OF THE DRAFT AGREEMENT AS
REPORTED BY MAINICHI SHIMBUN ON OCT. 24:
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THE ATOMIC INDUSTRIAL FORUM AND THE SOVIET STATE COMMISSION
ON UTILIZATION OF ATOMIC ENERGY, HOPING FOR THE PROMOTION
OF SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL CO-OPERATION IN PEACEFUL
USES OF ATOMIC ENERGY, AND BASED ON THE PRINCIPLE OF
RECIPROCITY, HAVE REACHED AGREEMENT AS FOLLOWS:
CHAPTER 1 FIELDS OF CO-OPERATION

1. SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL CO-OPERATION BETWEEN THE ATOMIC INDUSTRIAL FORUM AND THE SOVIET STATE COMMISSION ON UTILIZATION OF ATOMIC ENERGY IN THE PEACEFUL USES OF ATOMIC ENERGY WILL BE INITIATED IN THE FIELDS OF POWER REACTORS AND CONTROLLED THERMONUCLEAR REACTION. CO-OPERATION IN THESE FIELDS INVOLVES VARIOUS PROBLEMS CONCERNING SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL STUDIES, EXPERIMENTS AND DESIGN, AND OPERATION OF FACILITIES IN THE TWO COUNTRIES.

2. CO-OPERATION IN OTHER FIELDS CAN BE ADDED THROUGH MUTUAL AGREEMENT.

3. SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL CO-OPERATION STIPULATED IN THIS AGREEMENT WILL BE CARRIED OUT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS AND VARIOUS REGULATIONS OF THE TWO COUNTRIES.

CHAPTER 2 EXCHANGE OF EXPERT INSPECTION MISSIONS

1. THE TWO PARTIES WILL EXCHANGE EXPERT INSPECTION MISSIONS REPRESENTING SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL RESEARCH ORGANIZATIONS ON PEACEFUL USES OF ATOMIC ENERGY AND VARIOUS OTHER ORGANIZATIONS ENGAGED IN PEACEFUL USES OF ATOMIC ENERGY IN THE TWO COUNTRIES, FOR THE PURPOSE OF LEARNING THE RESULTS OF SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL PROGRESS IN PEACEFUL USES OF ATOMIC ENERGY IN THE TWO COUNTRIES.

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WHEN THE INSPECTION MISSION WILL CONSIST OF EIGHT OR LESS PERSONS, AS A GENERAL RULE, AND THE PERIOD OF ITS VISIT WILL BE WITHIN 14 DAYS.

CHAPTER 3 EXCHANGE OF RESEARCHERS

1. FOR THE PURPOSE OF STUDYING AND LEARNING THE OUTCOME ACCRUING FROM THE USE OF FACILITIES IN THE TWO COUNTRIES, THE TWO PARTIES WILL EXCHANGE EVERY YEAR TWO OR THREE RESEARCHERS IN CHARGE OF THE FIELD STIPULATED IN CHAPTER 1.

WHEN THE PERIOD OF EXCHANGE OF THE RESEARCHERS WILL BE WITHIN ONE YEAR. HOWEVER, THIS PERIOD CAN BE EXTENDED THROUGH MUTUAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE TWO PARTIES, DEPENDING UPON CIRCUMSTANCES.

CHAPTER 4 PROMOTION OF JOINT STUDIES

1. THERE IS CONCEIVABLY THE POSSIBILITY THAT THE TWO

PARTIES WILL CONDUCT JOINT STUDIES OR SHARE STUDIES IN THE FUTURE IN VARIOUS FACILITIES OR VARIOUS ORGANIZATIONS OF THE TWO COUNTRIES. THE PROGRAMS AND PERIODS OF THESE KINDS OF STUDIES WILL BE SEPARATELY DECIDED THROUGH CONSULTATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO PARTIES.

CHAPTER 5 MUTUAL HOLDING OF SEMINARS AND EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION

1. THE TWO PARTIES WILL HOLD SEMINARS CONCERNING PROBLEMS WHICH ARE OF INTEREST TO EACH OTHER.

2. THE TWO PARTIES WILL PERIODICALLY EXCHANGE SCIENTIFIC INFORMATION BY SUITABLY AND MUTUALLY SENDING OPEN UNCLASSIFIED

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MATERIALS (REPORTS, THESES, AND REPRINTS) CONCERNING CURRENT ACTIVITIES FOR PEACEFUL USES OF ATOMIC ENERGY. ON THAT OCCASION, THE TWO PARTIES WILL SEND TWO COPIES OF MATERIALS TO EACH OTHER.

CHAPTER 6 PLAN FOR EXCHANGE AND CONDITIONS CONCERNING SHARING OF EXPENSES (OMITTED)

CHAPTER 7 COMMON MATTERS

1. THIS AGREEMENT CAN BE REVISED THROUGH MUTUAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE TWO PARTIES.

2. THE TWO PARTIES WILL HOLD A CONFERENCE OF REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE TWO PARTIES ONCE A YEAR IN ORDER TO DELIBERATE ON THE STATE OF IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS AGREEMENT AND EXPECTED CONCRETE PLANS AND TO CONFER ON ADDITIONAL MEASURES ARISING ON THE BASIS OF THIS AGREEMENT AND REQUIRING CONFIRMATION BY THE TWO PARTIES. THIS CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD ALTERNATELY IN THE TWO COUNTRIES.

3. THIS AGREEMENT WILL BECOME EFFECTIVE FROM THE DATE OF SIGNING, AND WILL BE EFFECTIVE FOR FIVE YEARS. THIS AGREEMENT WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY EXTENDED FOR FIVE YEARS AT THE EXPIRATION OF THE EFFECTIVE PERIOD UNLESS EITHER OF THE TWO PARTIES GIVES NOTICE TO THE OTHER PARTY, THREE MONTHS BEFORE THE EXPIRATION OF THE FIVE-YEAR PERIOD, TO THE EFFECT THAT IT HOPES TO ABOLISH THE AGREEMENT. TWO TEXTS OF THIS AGREEMENT, ONE IN JAPANESE AND THE OTHER IN RUSSIAN, WILL BE PREPARED IN TOKYO ON ----- 1977, AND THE TWO TEXTS WILL HAVE THE SAME EFFECT.

HIROMI ARISAWA, CHAIRMAN OF THE JAPAN ATOMIC

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